



CITY OF SLATON
CODE ENFORCEMENT

GARAGE SALE PERMIT APPLICATION

Must be filled out completely

DATES OF GARAGE SALE: STARTING DATE: _____ ENDING DATE: _____

ADDRESS OF GARAGE SALE: _____

APPLICANTS NAME: _____

APPLICANTS PHONE #: _____

PLEASE READ THE ORDINANCE BELOW:

(9) The sale of items normally accumulated by a household may be sold from residential premises upon compliance with the following conditions:

(a) Any person or persons intending to hold a garage sale shall make application for permit with the city secretary's office of the City of Slaton not less than five (5) days prior to such sale and shall disclose the name of all persons participating as sellers in such garage sale, the address of all such persons and the time and date of such sale. Prior to the issuance of such a permit the city secretary shall collect from such applicant the sum of three dollars (\$3.00) as a permit fee. [1] Such permit shall be displayed openly during all hours of such garage sale at the location in plain view, and the failure to display such a permit shall constitute a misdemeanor offense. Organizations exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or as amended, shall be exempt from payment of the permit fee but shall be subject to the remaining portions of this ordinance. Editor's Note: The fee for a garage sale permit was set at \$5.00 by Res. No. 011011A, adopted 1-10-2011

(b) Garage sales shall be permitted provided such sales shall not continue for more than forty-eight (48) consecutive hours and no more than two (2) such sales shall be conducted at the same address in any twelve (12) month period.

(c) All items offered for sale shall have been originally purchased by the person offering such for sale for their own original household use and no item offered for sale at such garage sale shall have been purchased by the seller for the purpose of offering such for resale.

(d) No item for sale shall be displayed outside of the residence, garage or carport unless such is displayed in the back yard of such residence and not visible from a public street.

(e) Only one unlighted sign not exceeding twelve (12) square feet in area shall be permitted for each such sale. Said sign shall pertain to the garage sale only and shall be located on the property where the sale is conducted and shall not be placed upon any public property or utilities. Such sign shall be permitted for the duration of the sale only.

(f) Violations of these conditions shall be subject to a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to fasten, tack, nail, tie, glue, paste or maintain any placard, poster, banner or any other material anywhere on the streets, sidewalks, curbs, gutters, signal light posts or bases, streetlight posts or bases, telephone posts or electric posts in the city or to cause the same to be done.

(b) This section shall not apply to any officer of the city, the state, or the United States who may place upon such objects, by tying with strings or ties, any posters or placards in the interest of public health and safety.

I have read and understand the above-stated Ordinance and will comply. Please return this form to City Hall with Payment.

Sign and Date: